

Kansas Department of Health and Environment's Five Year Air Monitoring Network Assessment – 2015-2020

Notice is hereby given to the public for an opportunity to review and comment on the KDHE Five Year Air Monitoring Network Assessment 2015-2020. The U.S. EPA requires accredited State and Local monitoring agencies to conduct an assessment of their air quality monitoring network every five years. This assessment reviews changes in Kansas (population, demographics, traffic, meteorology, etc.) and the adequacy of KDHE's monitoring network for establishing the state's compliance with the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). In addition, the monitoring network is established to assure timely air quality information that may impact Kansas' residents. This assessment includes recommendations for the monitoring network based on historical monitoring data, health-based reviews by U.S. EPA requiring changes to the NAAQS, and changes in local conditions including population density and traffic congestion.

Additional information regarding this Five Year Air Monitoring Network Assessment may be obtained from the KDHE, Bureau of Air, 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 310, Topeka, KS 66612. Telephone: (785) 296-0910. Persons desiring to comment on this document must submit those comments in writing or through e-mail to Mr. Douglas Watson (dwatson@kdheks.gov) on or before October 11th, 2015.